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Investigator: Carmen Madrid**Phone:** (602) [REDACTED]**Fax:** (602) [REDACTED]**Priority:** Respond Within Five Days**Opinion****No.** 2007 - 61449**Date:** 7/3/2007**Complaint Description:** 19E Other - Non-Jurisdictional
N/A Not Applicable**Complaint By:** **First:** Chris **Last:** Orthmann**Account Name:** Chris Orthmann**Home:** (000) 000-0000**Street:** n/a**Work:** (000) 000-0000**City:** [REDACTED]**CBR:****State:** AZ **Zip:** 00000**is:****Utility Company:** Pine Water Co., Inc.**Division:** Strawberry View 1**Contact Name:** n/a**Contact Phone:** n/a**Nature of Complaint:**

Dear Commissioners,

I am a property owner in Strawberry, AZ and I urge you to reject Pine Water Company's application to encumber the K2 well site and issue evidence of indebtedness to the Pine Strawberry Water Improvement District for the K2 well project.

This application should be rejected as the site is an asset of Strawberry Water Company. The K2 well agreement does not address the terms of the transfer of ownership of this site to PWCo. To my knowledge, SWCo will receive no consideration in return for the transfer of this site to PWCo. Given that Strawberry Water Company has experienced numerous and protracted water outages, the applicant's statement that "the K2 wellsite is not necessary or useful in the performance of SWCo's duties to the public" is absolutely false. We are sympathetic to our neighbors in Pine and want to work together to find water sources for both communities. Unfortunately, the K2 agreement does not address the water issues for both communities, but seeks to alleviate Pine's water issues by aggravating problems in Strawberry. The K2 site, located in Strawberry, currently owned by Strawberry Water company, should be used at least in part for the benefit of SWCo customers. It should NOT be encumbered by Pine Water Company for the K2 agreement which stand to provide water ONLY to residents of Pine.

Thank you for your consideration.

Sincerely,

Chris Orthmann

End of Complaint

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Utilities' Response:**Investigator's Comments and Disposition:**

Opinion noted. And filed in docket no. Docket W-03512A-07-0362 - Statement of Opposition Closed

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